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CLASSIFY FILAMENTOUS FUNGI, YEASTS, MOLDS AND POLLEN

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This responds to the restriction requirement mailed October 28, 2003.

ELECTION

Applicants elect, without traverse, the invention of Group I, comprising claims 1-14,
drawn to a method of generating biospecific markers for fungi with MS.

Respectfully submitted,

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